

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION

Lisa B. Cooper,)	Case No. 17-00041-CV-W-BP
)	
Plaintiff,)	Date: 2/8/2019
)	
vs.)	10th day of trial
)	
Scripps Media, Inc.,)	
Defendant.)	

MINUTES OF TRIAL OR HEARING

HONORABLE BETH PHILLIPS presiding at Kansas City, Missouri.

Nature of Proceeding: 10th DAY OF JURY TRIAL

Time Commenced: 8:14 a.m.

Time Terminated: _____

Plaintiff by:

Defendant by:

Dennis Egan and Martin Meyers

Michael McIntrye, Mark Johnson,
Rachel Smith, and Kate Hart

Remarks:	Witness Testifying
All parties present and ready for trial; instruction	Steve Watt 9:25-9:47 before jury 10:04 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
conference held with parties 8:14-defendant orally moves	Lisa Benson Cooper recalled 10:31 -10:46 a.m.
for a mistrial -court denies same 8:43; Break 8:50-9:10	
conference with counsel 9:10-9:19; Break 9:19-9:23;	
defendant continues case in chief and calls Steve Watt	
for proffer without presence of jury 9:25 a.m.; court	
Proceeds before jury 10:03 and defendant calls Steve	
Watt 10:04 a.m.; Defendant rests 10:31 a.m.;	
Plaintiff calls Lisa Benson Cooper for rebuttal 10:31 a.m.	
Break for jury 10:47; conference with counsel 10:47-	
10:51; Break 10:51-11:14; conference with counsel	

11:14-11:25; Break 11:25; court proceeds before jury	
and jury instructions read 11:31 a.m.; plaintiff's closing	
argument 11:56 a.m.; break 12:47-1:04 p.m.; conference	
with counsel 1:04-court proceeds before jury 1:08;	
defendant's closing 1:08 p.m.; plaintiff rebuttal closing	
2:08 p.m.; jury goes to deliberate 2:21 p.m.; jury note	
2:50; jury note 4:17; jury note 4:39 p.m.; jury note 6:39	
jury note 6:41 p.m.; jury note 7:38 p.m. Jury reaches	
Verdict 9:37 p.m.; Verdict A for Defendant; Verdict B	
For defendant; Verdict C for plaintiff; Verdict D for	
Plaintiff; Jury released 9:41 p.m. Court adjourned 9:41 p.m.	

Pltf. Rested __2/5/19 at 12:05 p.m. __

Deft. Rested __2/8/2019 at 10:31 a.m. __

Court Reporter: Katie Wirt

By: /s/ Kelly McIlvain
Kelly McIlvain, Courtroom Deputy